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EDITORIAL NOTE

With this issue a new editorial board takes charge of the *QUARTERLY PUBLICATIONS OF THE AMERICAN STATISTICAL ASSOCIATION*. The new staff hopes that the *QUARTERLY* will be of continually greater service to the readers and an increasingly important medium for statistical research.

To make the work more effective the broad field of statistics has been sub-divided, and each member of the board has assumed responsibility for a particular section. With this arrangement, the editors will be able to keep in touch with the various problems and with the statistical work in progress in the respective fields. Statisticians conducting researches in the various fields are invited to use the *QUARTERLY* as a means of publication.

The department of notes and reviews will receive especial attention. It will present news items concerning statisticians and their activities, comments on statistical organizations both in this and in other countries, and notes on current publications as well as reviews of significant books and reports. Dr. Leo Wolman has consented to take charge of this section. Coöperation not only on the part of the editors, but also on the part of the association membership will be of great aid in making this department of value. Members are urged to send to the editor's office any notes which they think of interest.

Through these plans the editors hope to make the *QUARTERLY PUBLICATIONS OF THE AMERICAN STATISTICAL ASSOCIATION* a journal of increasing influence in the development of statistics.

THE EDITORS.

A NEW STATISTICAL JOURNAL

The readers of the *QUARTERLY* will be interested to learn that a new international review of statistics is about to be issued. This will be known as *Metron* and will be under the editorial direction of Professor Corrado Gini of the University of Padua. Professor Gini will have associated with him the following editorial board:

Prof. Raymond Pearl, Professor of Vital Statistics, Johns Hopkins University.

Prof. L. March, Director of Statistics of France.

Dr. M. Greenwood, Lister Institute, University of London.

Prof. L. V. Furlan of the University of Bale, Switzerland.

Dr. F. P. Cantelli, Actuary to the Exchequer of Italy.

Prof. A. Andreadis of the University of Athens, Greece.

Dr. G. H. Knibbs, Director of the General Statistics of the Commonwealth of Australia.